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Senate Majority Leader Sikkema Calls on Governor to Help Remove Canvasser from Office

Sikkema says Paul Mitchell "did the honorable thing."

Lansing - Senate Majority Leader Ken Sikkema, R-Wyoming, issued the following statement upon hearing that Paul Mitchell had plead guilty to contempt of court and resigned from the Board of State Canvassers:

"Paul Mitchell did the honorable thing today by resigning from the board and set an example for Doyle O'Connor to follow. Unfortunately, Mr. O'Connor is pursuing a course of action that will cause unnecessary damage to the electoral process in the eyes of Michigan voters. Therefore, I am calling upon Gov. Granholm to use all resources at her disposal to convince Mr. O'Connor that his immediate resignation is proper and necessary."

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